BUTTER, Roll, 74 15 | Do Granda Area | Do Granda | Hay 2 100 ms..... REMARKS.—The market opened with much setivity, but light offerings. Flour is coming in in fair supply, with a good demand for shipping and home consumption. Prices are, however, unchanged and firm. We quote Union street Superfine at \$5.06} for common, and \$5.12} for straight brands. Extra and Family are quiet, and unchanged. The offerings of Wheat are light, and prices have an advancing tendency, closing firm at 1100a,136c, for fair to good white, and 1200g

125c, for do, red. Corn is still scarce, and in great demand. We note sales of fair white at sic for small lots. Rye is in good demand at 80 (485c., with a light supply and small offerings. Outs dull, and very light transactions-supply fair. There is no change in the quotations of ther articles. The Markets. BALTINORE, Oct. 24.—Breadstuffs are excited.

Howard street Flour has advanced 12c., selling for \$5.25. Wheat active; sales of 15,000 bushels at an advance of 3645c.; white 130@150c.; red 115c. Corn firm at 95@97c. for white and yellow. Provisions quiet; bacon sides 10fc.; mess pork \$15 50(4\$15.75; prime \$11.25(6\$11.50. Lard is quiet. Whiskey is quiet at 28@284c. for Ohio.

New York, Oct. 24 .- Flour has advanced 15@ 25c., the market closing unsettled and excited .-State \$4.95@\$5.00 ; Ohio \$5.65@\$5.75 ; Southern \$5.58(0,\$5.75. Wheat is dull and unsettlednominally 2(a, ic. higher. Corn is lower-mixed 1032. Pork is quiet; mess \$15.25@\$15.30; prime \$10.87. Lard is heavy at 11(a) 112c. Whiskey closed dull at 284 (cc 29c. Stocks are dull. Cumberland Coal Co. 147. Va. 6's 942. Mo. 6's, 847.

New York, Oct. 22 .- In State stocks there were sales to day of about sixty thousand dollars of Missouri's at S42, and of Virginia's and Tennessee's at Hi and S9j. Yesterday, the sales reached one hundred and eighty thousand dollars. The receipts from customs, on Thursday, amount-

ed to \$\$1,996; yesterday to \$58,000; total amount the Sub-Treasury, \$4,769,938. The exchanges at the clearing house yesterday amounted to \$19,-457,000, and the balance to \$934,982—exchanges the week averaging \$21,977,183 per day. ALMANAC.

TENTH WONTH. SUN SUN OCTOBER. rises, sets.

25 Wednesday 6 41 5 19 New 25 7 41 E. 27 Thursday 6 42 5 18 Firstqr. 2 11 27 M. 6 44 5 16 Full 10 9 14 M Saturday 6 45 5 15 Lastqr...17 8 14 M # Sunday 6 46 5 14 HIGH WATER.
| Monday 6 47 5 13 OCTOBER 25, 6h. 46m.

MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA-OCTOBER 24.

Steamship Mount Vernon, Smith, New York, passengers and merchandise to Fowle & Co. Schr. York Town, Woglam, New York, mer-Steamer S. Seymour, Shore, Philadelphia, to S.

Steamer Columbia, Harper, Baltimore, to Wheat

MENORANDA. Brig Wappon, Coombs, from this port, for Bos-tos, arrived at Holmes' Hole, 19th inst.; schr. Harriet Baker, Webber, from this port, for Port-

Brig J. & H. Crowley, Drisco, from this port, ar wei at East Weymouth, 16th inst. Schr. Brothers, Davey, for this port, cl'd at New fork, 21st inst.; schr. E. A. Anderson, Cambren, from Georgetown, arrived at do., 22nd inst. Schr. Yankee Doodle, Ellery, for this port, sailed from Providence, 20th inst.

Sehr Arctic, Tucker, hence at St. John, N. B. 16th inst.; brigs Acadian, Lockhart, and Enter rise, Wiseman, do., 17th; sehr. Spray, Falkner, ohr. H. B. Bascom, Burke, from Georgetown

Sear. S. & B. Small, Donovan, hence at Balti-

CANAL COMMERCE. ARRIVED, October 24.

Boate J. J. Watson, Dunham, L. Moresey, W. Wolcomgton, Buena Vista, Martin Hoffman, and lankee, coal to T. J. Mehaffoy.
Rout Phoenix, coal to Frostburg Coal Co. Boats Jacob Huber, and Samuel Luman, coal to orlen Mining Co.

TIS ARTHUR'S NEW BOOK, JUST OUT .-. Received and for sale at FRENCH'S Book

Periodical Depot Lime Glenn, or the Trials of a Seamstress, by 1 8. Arthur, author of "Love in a Cottage," lere in High Lite, " &c., &c., I vol. 12 mo., \$1.25. sulah, by Augusta J. Evans, a rare Book Kaverley Navels, new edition, complete in ;

Sames octavo, handsomely bound in cloth, \$6. Parts 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Peterson's cheap edi-

at of Dickens' work, price 25c. each. All the or numbers on hand. Barper's Magazine for November is a capital

Atlantic Monthly for November, Fank Leslie's Fashion Book "

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ondon News: Ledger; Waverley; Harper's weity; Flag. Peterial; Mercury; Weekly; Pilot; Rass Sprit; Porter's Spirit; N. Y. Waverley; Fayme, Police tiarette, Battle Ship; Nick Nax, Pudget of Vankee Notions, 10c : Pickles, 10c.; Budget of a de Comie Monthly, 6c.; Phunny Phellow, and everything else in the Newspaper, Maga-

YEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES AND PAPERS EO. SIGGER'S Book and Periodical er s new Monthly Magazine for November,

and number, price 25c. eslie's new Family Magazine and Ga-Pashion for November, 25c.

etten's National Magazine for November,

Laites American Magazine for November, and and Gown, a Novel, by the author of

Livingston, 25c. ot Nat for November, 10c. has Bouquet for November, 10c.

As York Ledger, Mercury, Weekly, Flag, Wa
Harper's Weekly, Pictorial, Line-of Battle
Boulon de Gazette, New York Clipper, Boston Panily Journal, Frank Loslie's Nows, and

Weekly Papers and Montblies. MASS MOLASSES. -15 bbls. just landed, wil for sale by
WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

BY YESTERDAY EVENING'S MAILS.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.-The General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States adjourned sine die on Saturday night last. The proceedings throughout were of a deeply interesting and harmonious character, and the discussions entirely free from sectional or party spirit .--No previous Convention, it is said, has proved so productive of good to the future prospects of the Episcopal Church, especially in regard to the progress of the missionary work. Five Bishops have been consecrated, three of whom are to enter upon Dioceses never before under Episcopal supervisions. Two great Dioceses have been admitted into union with the General Convention, and two Missionary Bishops elected. While it was thought inexpedient to elect, at present a Missionary Bishop for the Empire of Japan, the interests of the Church in that country have been placed under the supervision the Bishop of China. In addition to these important results, a vast amount of business was transacted, pertaining to the affairs of the Episcopal Church.

Rev. Henry C. Lay, D. D., of Alabama, recently elected Missionary Bishop of the Southwest, was consecrated vesterday in St. Paul's Church. Bishop Meade officiated, assisted by several Bishops and ministers. The next General convention will be held in the city of New York three years hence. Richmond Disputch.

On Sunday morning, between 1 and 2 o'clock, the extensive soap and candle factory of J. W. Bruce, Ag't., in Richmond, was entirely destroyed by fire. The building was a large one, constructed entirely of wood, and being filled with inflammable materials was speedily consumed. The loss by fire will not fall short of \$6,000 -little or no insurance.

D. B. Hughlett, who killed James R. Gough, near New Baltimore, Fauquier county, on Friday last, has been arrested, and, upon an examination before Justices Frances and Klipstein, committed to jail to await

The fair of the Virginia Central Agricultural Society of Richmond, commenced yes-

MARRIED.

In St. Paul's Church, on Tuesday, the 11th inst., by the Rev. John Towles, Mr. LUCIEN A. LAR-KIN, of this city, to Miss SALLIE J., daughter of the late Capt. P. Norvill, of Prince William county, Va.

In Washington, on Sanday morning, GEORGE VENABLE, aged 58 years. He was a good citi-

TIRGINIA :- At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria County, on the 26th day of September, 1859, John A. Linton and Samuel Chilton, Trustees of R. H. Gallaher, plaintiffs, against Waynefield Flowerree, Robert E. Scott, and John Withers, defendants In Chancery. The object of this suit is to have the judgment of the said John Withers against the said Waynefield Flowerree, declared satisfied, and to sell the real estate of the said Flowerree in the ill mentioned to satisfy the judgment of the plaintiffs, amounting to two thousand dollars, with in-terest thereon from the 19th day of October, 1852, till paid, and five dollars and sixty-five cents, osts, and, also, one dollar and seventy-five cents. The defendant, Waynefield Flowerree, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by satisfactory evidence that he is not an inhabitant of this Common-wealth,—It is ordered, that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publicaon of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the ront door of the Court House of this County.

A Copy—Teste:

B. H. BERRY, Cierk

BRENT & KINZER, P. Q. oct 25-w4w TIRGINIA .- At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria County, on the 26th day of September, 1859, J. Newton Harper, plaintiff, against Jesse Harrington and Everett, trading under the style and name of Harringtond and Everett, Edgar Hanks, and Levin Hollis, defendants,-In Chancery. The object of this suit is to ascertain to which of the defendants certain sums of money due by two notes given by the plaintiff for the purchase of the Schr. "Columbia," belong and ought to be paid. The defendants Edgar Hanks and Levin Hollis, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by satisfactory evidence that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth,—It is ordered, that the said defendants appear here within one month after due publication of this or-der, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four sucessive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court-house of this County. A copy, teste: B. H. BERRY, Clerk.

BRENT & KINZER, P. Q. oct 25-w4w FRESH ARRIVALS - NEW GOODS - Fifty Ladies' Black Cloth Cloaks, in great variety of styles, many of them entirely new; Scotch Long and Square Shawls, of beautiful designs; French Merino, in all colors, and cheap; extra heavy Canton Flannel and Shirting Cottons; Fancy Silks; Silk Robes and Black Gro de Rhine Silks in great variety and of the best makers; 15 pieces new style Plaid at 25 cents; 200 pieces English and Merimac Calico; Coburg; Valentia, Cotilia, Poie de Chever, De Laines and Poplins, in great variety; also a large stock of Jouvin's Kid Gloves, Shawl Bordering, French Worked Collars and Sets; Hooped Skirts; Richardson and Dunbar and Dickinson

Irish Linens, &c . &c. TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

WHALEBONES FOR SKIRTS, Yarn Socks. W Covered Reeds, Low's Genuine Brown Wind-sor and Honey Sonp, Buck, Silk and Thread Gauntlets, for Ladies and Misses; Ladies Travelling Bags, Fancy Hair Pins, and a variety of other ar ticles for sale very low, at C. C. BERRY'S.

A TTENTION RIFLEMEN!-You are hereby notified to attend a special meeting of the Company, to be held this Tuesday evening, at the Armory, at 7½ o'clock. By order; oct 25-1t WM. W. SMITH, 2nd Serg't,

FOUND.-A pair of GOLD SPECTACLES were found yesterday morning near the Market, and left at this Office, where the owner can obtain them by paying for this advertisement.

oct 25-3t COD FISH. -50 quintals COD FISH, in store, and for sale by M. ELDRIDGE & CO.. oct 25

MEN.—The subscriber will rent or lease to responsible tenant, that well-known TRACT OF LAND, called "BLOOMFIELD," situated directly west of the Alms House. This farm con-tains about THIRTY-FIVE ACRES, and is admirably suited either for Garden or Dairy purpo-ses. The land has been highly improved and has on it a fine PEACH ORCHARD, and other Fruit trees, and the whole tract has been recently en-

closed with a new and substantial fence.

The DWELLING, Barn, and Stables will The DWELLING, Barn, and Stables will be put in good order, and the whole rented or TOBACCO, to which he invites the especial atteneased for a term of years to a suitable tenant. Apply to

sep 26-eo2m NEW FAMILY GROCERY STORE,

At No. 20, Royal street, opposite the Market Hos ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. THE undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity, that they
have opened a well supplied stock of FAMILY
GROCERIES, DOMESTIC and IMPORTED
LIQUOBS, FRENCH and GERMAN WINES,
PRODUCE As As we have all our order PRODUCE, &c., &c. As we buy all our goods for each at the very lowest prices, we intend to sell for cash only at the lowest rates. By keeping always on hand a full and fresh stock, we flatter ourselves to receive a liberal share of patronage of

our fellow citizens. Give us a call. SELDNER & STEIN. oet 5-cosu. WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

| BOXES GROUND PEPPER; 10 do. Mus. | Will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, and Northwaberland Counties. Post for the courts of Westmoreland, and Northwaberland Counties. ind 5 do pure Ginger, received and for [oct 19] Q. HULST.

Letter from Winchester.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette. WINCHESTER, Oct. 20 .- The Valley Agrihalf a mile from this place, on the 18th inst., broke up on the 21st. The number of visitors in attendance, we regret to say, was small, in comparison with the number that visited the Fair last year. We suppose one reason was, the difficulty at Harper's Ferry. There was a great falling off in cattle, machinery, and indeed in everything else conpared with last year. There was no Agricultural address delivered.

In all the newspaper accounts we have seen published of the Harper's Ferry invasion, no notice has yet been taken of the Morgan Continental Guards, Major B. B. new company which has been lately formed here.) They left here on Monday about noon, and did not return until the next afternoon. It is but due to justice, that they should be mentioned, and from what I know favorably known in your city.) there is not a brayer set of men in the State. They has been performing patrol duty ever since they returned. Indeed, the press generally have entirely forgotten to make mention of Win chester at all. Their worthy Mayor, Col Sherrard, as soon as the news of the insurrection at Harper's Ferry reached here, dispatched immediately the companies above named, and accompanied them himself.

The negro man Haywood, the porter con-Harper's Ferry, was buried here on Wednesday with military honors. He was a favorite with all who knew him, and those who have travelled over the road will now miss the laughing countenance of Old Haywood. The remains were accompanied by the Morgan Continentals, Major B. B. Washington, and two other companies, one from Winches ter, and the other from Martinsburg. Their names I cannot reccollect—the battallion Heath. was under the command of Col. Moore. The fine band of music, connected with the Continentals, headed the procession, and played some beautiful airs. In the procession were the Mayor of the city, the officers of the Regiment, in uniform, Mr. Hoiliday, and other leading citizens of this place. It was an imposing sight to look upon, and could our Northern countrymen, have witnessed the funeral of old Haywood, and the hundreds who gathered around the grave, and which was read by an old colored preacher, there would be no such fanatics as Brown and Cook. The prayer that was delivered, was an impressive one, and I am sure, will

not be forgot very soon by those who heard it. stop at Taylor's Hotel, kept by N. M. Cartmell, who (assisted by his estimable lady,) makes everyone feel at home. OBSERVER.

NEW THEATRE! ALEXANDRIA.

Under the Management of M. V. Lingham SECOND NIGHT OF THE WASHINGTON COMPANY.

CHARLOTTE THOMPSON Mrs. ADDIE PROCTOR.

Mrs. ARCHIBULD, Mrs. E. L. DALTON, Mr. Chas. Hill. Mr. Edw. Lamb,
Mr. E. L. Dalton,
Mr. G. L. Stout, Mr. C. D. Chaplin.
Mr. G. L. Stout, Mr. Carroll, an Mr. M. V. Lingham, Mr. Roach Who will appear IN OLD ENGLISH COMEDY!

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 25th,

Will be produced Dr. Goldsmith's Comedy in 5 Acts, entitled, SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER!

Hardeastle......Chas. Hill, To conclude with the laughable Farce, entitled THE ETON BOY.

Tickets, admitting a Gentleman and Lady, 75c o. do. two Ladies, \$1. SINGLE TICKETS:bue. | Dress Circle...... 25 ets 2- Doors open at 71-To commence at 77

A portion of the Gallery, (right hand side, will be set apart for Colored Persons. 3.0 Admission 25 cents. PIANOS. JARGEST ASSORTMENT OF

PLANOS IN THE COUNTRY. GOLD MEDALS IN FOUR SUCCESSIVE YEARS At the Maryland Institute, besides first premium At the Fairs in Philadelphia, Washington and Richmond. TESTIMONIALS OF EXCELLNCE

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would respectfully invite the attention of the pub-lic to their well assorted stock of GRAND AND SQUARE PIANO FORTES, which, for beauty of finish, power and sweetness of tone and elasticity of touch, have been, by judges,

pronounced unrivalled. Every Piano guarantied for five years, and a privilege of exchange granted tisfactory.
Terms liberal. A call is respectfully solicited

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A GENCY FOR BIRING OUT NEGROES. -The undersigned offers his services to the business men of the city of Richmond, enables him confidently to assure all who may be inclined to employ him, that they can expect to secure through him the best prices from the most responsible men, and prompt payment at all times. All servants entrusted to my charge will be at tentively looked after during the year, and especially in eases of sickness. Attached to my office are one or two rooms—to be used by the servants until homes are obtained for them. In a word, every care and attention will be bestowed which

the most thoughtful could suggest. All hires collected quarterly.

LUCIEN LEWIS. Office on Franklin St., in Metropolitan Hall, Richmond, Virginia.

Richmond, oct 22-eo2m* WILLIAM BAYNE, TOBACCO FACTOR, No. 70, Exchange Place,

BALTIMORE, Mp., S NOW RECEIVING direct from the manu facturers of Virginia, a general assortment of chasel most of our goods this season at the tion of dealers.

ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD COMPANY.-T e Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, will be held at the office of the Company, on Thursday, the 3d day of J. H. REID, Clerk.

A teacher, desires a situation in a private family. Will teach the elementary and higher English branches, French, and Muzic. References given and required. Address Miss L. C., Berryville, Clarke County, Va. CLOAKS, MANTILLAS, RAGLANS, 40-U Just received a beautiful assortment of Cloth Cloaks, Mautillas, and Raglans, different colors: A CARD.—Having purchased the interest of G. W. Shacklett, in the late firm of GEO. W. also various shades of Cloaking Cloths, to which SHACKLETT & CO., I will continue the busi-

we respectfully call the attention of the ladies.

ort 18—dlw&co2w BRYAN & ADAMS. PORTO RICO MOLASSES.—10 hhds. of prime firm, and the public generally.

B. C. SHACKLETT. oct 20 WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

LOCAL ITEMS.

RAILROAD CELEBRATION. - The proposition to have a public celebration upon the complecultural Fair, which commenced about a tion of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad to Lynchburg, continues to be discussed by the press of Alexandria and Charlottesville. The Advocate, of the latter "city," favors Alexandria as the appropriate place for the

the scene of the celebration. While we would have been glad to tender the hospitalities of our city to our friends along the line, and to Washington, and the Morgan Riflemen, (a cultivate an acquaintance with those whom we ought to know better than we do, we must submit to the decision-the more readily when we reflect how profuse and generous a hospitality Alexandria has ever exhibited, when the occasion called for it. of the Continentals (and they are well and If the "gap" in Mississippi should be filled up by the same time-of which there is a prospect-we can unite in the celebration of the completion of a continuous line of road -almost a straight "chute" -- between Alexandria and New Orleans, -Lynchburg Virg.

THE STEAMSHIP MOUNT VERNON, Smith, EVERYBODY arrived here yesterday afternoon, 40 hours from New York, with a large freight and the following passengers: Miss Sarah Boone, sected with the Railroad, who was killed at George Knapp, lady, and daughter, Wm. H. Jones, Daniel E. Smith, G. Hulst and lady, Mrs. Stottoff, Mrs. Hulst, Miss Lawrence, Mrs. Cottrell, Thomas Lock, lady, and two children, John N. Cottrell, J. N. Cottrell, Jr., Miss Mary Cottrell, Miss E. Cottrell, M. V. Congdon, Mr. Gorpe, James II. Shepherd, Hannah Beebe, and George

ONE OF THE PIKES taken at the recent insurrection at Harper's Ferry, was presented to Maj. G. T. Whittington, of this city. by the Morgan Continentals of Winchester, (who were present and took part in quelling the insurrection) and can be seen at this office. The blade is somewhat like that of a Bowie knife or the end of a Roman swordthe respectful and serious attention with very heavy-on the end of a six foot hickory which they listened to the burial service, staff. It is a very formidable weapon, both to cut and thrust.

UNION PRAYER MEETING .- The Union Prayer Meeting, which was held in the M. E. We would advise any of our Alexandria Church South, on Sunday afternoon, was very friends who visit Winchester not to fail to numerously attended, and was an occasion of much interest. Rev. I. N. Hayes of Shippensburg, Pa., led the exercises, and interesting remarks were made by the leader and Rev. Dr. Smith and Mr. Harman Brown of

Assault.-James Ford, on Sanday night, made an assault upon Watchman Thompson, striking him a severe blow over the head with a pitcher, and slightly cutting his face with a case knife, for which he was yesterday morning committed to jail, by the Mayor to answer the charge at court. The assault was committed at the Eldorado House, Cameron street.

the Baptist Church, on Washington street, Sacking Flannels, variety of colors on Sunday evening by the pastor, Rev. Mr. 9-4, 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, and 13-4 supe Bittings, who also made some brief but impressive remarks, at the commencement of Crib and Cradle Blankets his sermon, directed more especially to three | Ready made Comforts young men, who were recevied into the

GAMING.-Three men were arrested yesterday afternoon by officer Warder for unlawful gaming in a saloon on the wharf, up- Peter Sham and Pilot on information of a fourth party, who from his own testimony was equally guilty with Domestic do.; Repellant and Ferede do the others. Justice Summers held them to bail to appear at Court.

TRIAL OF FIRE ENGINES .- According to law, several of the Fire Companies of the city vesterday tested the throwing powers of Kerseys, Georgia Plaids, Osnaburgs, Domestics their engines under the direction of the Superintendent of the Fire Department.

THEATRE - Miss Thompson appears at the Theatre to-night, in the play of "She Crumb Cloths, Bockings, Druggets, Rugs, Matts, Stoops to Conquer," and Mrs. Proctor in the and G. SATTER. farce of "The Eton Boy."

THE REPAIRS to the Long Bridge have Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7, NORTH EUTAW STREET, been completed, and the cars on the Alex-BALTIMORE, and The Complete and Washington Railroad vesterday resumed their regular trips.

MILITIA .- The company muster of the 175th Regiment Virginia Militia, took place yesterday morning.

There was a heavy frost in this neighborhood on Sunday morning.

A mers are probably aware that on the first of September last we commenced selling goods exclusirely for cash, offering at the time, as an inducement for our very prompt credit customers to pay public as a Hirer of Negroes. An experience of several years, together with a general acquaincent, on all purchases amounting to \$10 and upseveral years, together with a general acquain-tance with the merchants, millers, tobacconists and becomes man of the city of Richmond enables offered would have been a sufficient inducement; but we find the move to have been a very unpopular one with many of our most valuable customers, they considering it a very great convenience to have an account where they could send for or pur-chase what they wished; and as we do not feel that we can afford to loose the patronage of such as have always sustained us heretofore, besides depriving ourselves of the pleasure of doing business with them, we have determined to again open our oks to such as have always paid us when their bills were presented, and hope all such will appreciate this public announcement, as we would not make it, only that we publicly declined to continue any accounts, and as we do not approve of publishing one thing and doing another, we have thought it due our prompt customers, in the change, to publish this statement. We shall, however, continue to allow the discount on all purchases of \$10 and upwards if paid for at the time of purchase, and would respectfully solicit all who prefer to buy for each, to examine our stock, which is now very large, and having pur-York and Philadelphia auction sales, we know that we have one of the largest and cheapest

stocks of GOODS in the District.
W. M. SHUSTER & CO., No. 38, opposite Centre Market, bet. 7th & 8th sts. Washington, oct 20-dlm

Piedmont, Fauquier County, Va., oct 22-ec2w

Piedmont, Oct. 20, 1859-eo2w

NOTICE.—The partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the style of GEORGE W. SHACKLETT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, B. C. Shacklett hav ing purchased the entire interest of George W. Stacklett in the concern, B. C. SHACKLETT. rels Jonathan Ewes brand, superior to any Flour he ever made, and will be sold for less than Flour he ever made, and was highly any Flour of similar quality, by ISAAC PAUL. GEO. W. SHACKLETT.

ness at the same place, where I will be pleased to receive the patronage of the friends of the late liam County, V... JOHN B. HUNTON, Buckland, Va.

POSTSCRIPT.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

The Mississippi Central Railroad. Augusta, Oct. 24 .- A private letter from celebration, and the Gazette, of course, sustains the suggestion. Lynchburg, being road, dated Holly Springs, (Miss.) October thus out-voted, will have, we suppose, to 20, says that only twenty-three miles of the road now remain to be finished; that the We suppose, then, the question may be re-track is being laid at both ends, and the congarded as settled, and that Alexandria will be nection will be made by the last of December.

Reported Battle with Indians in Texas. New Orleans, Oct. 24.—Galveston dates of the 20th are received. The Dallas (Texas)

on Concha river and lost 40 men, but killed Conflagration at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 24.—The Magazine Market and four squares adjoining were burned last night. Loss estimated at \$150.

IS INVITED TO

RICHARDS OPENING OF WINTER BONNETS.

ON THURSDAY, Oct. 27th.

SPECIAL NOTICE. WE ARE NOW RECEIVING A LARGE M additional supply of FANCY and DOMES-TIC DRY GOODS, which in connexion with our previous purchases, renders our stock unusually attractive. Having had the advantage of the late New York and Philadelphia auctions, we are enabled to offer very many GOODS at much below the cost of importation. Plain and Fancy DRESS SILKS Silk Robes, in all the desirable colors

Plain, Black, Tafetta, Armour, and Gro de Epson SILKS Mouslains and Valentia Robes Super Printed French DeLaines Byadere and plain Poplins Satin Face and Crepe Finished French Merinoes French Merinoes and Cashmores Satin Alcions and Pole De Chevre Velours and Montebello Cloths French and English Chintzes, neat styles Ladies' French Lawn and Linen Cambrie Hand-

kerchiefs Plain, Hemstiched, and Embroidered, in great variety and very cheap French Embroideries, of every kind Ladies' Merino and Silk Vests Woolen and Cotton Hosiery, all kinds White and colored Corsetts

Hoop Skirts and Skirt Supporters, best styles SHAWLS.

Broche, Stella, Mantilla, and Blanket Shawls
A beautiful at the stellar of the stellar A beautiful stock of Cloaks Black and colored Cloaking Cloths and Fringes MOURNING GOODS.

Super Bombazines and Alpaceas Poplins and Valencias Silk Warp Cashmere and Tamise Cloth Single and double width French Monslaines French and English Merinoes Crepe and Love Veils English and Italian Crepes

10.4 French, for Skirtings 4 4 Swan Skin and Saxony, extra heavy Saxony and Welsh do BAPTISM. Two persons were baptised in Super White, Red, Yellow, Grey, and Domestic do

> Linen and Cotton Sheetings and Pillow Casings Super Bed Sheetings, best brands Irish Linens, heavy and medium, warranted pure. CLOTHS.

Servants' Blankets, in all grades

Black and Fancy colored Cloths, best makes Black, colored, and plain Beaver Cloth Plain, Black, Ribbed, and Fancy English and French Cassimeres

Velvet, Silk, and Woolen Vestings Ready-made Town Shirts Silk and Merino Under Shirts and Drawers Linen Handkerchiefs, (hemmed;) Silk do FULLED CLOTHS.

100 pieces Fulled Cloths, some very superior Germantown, Penitentiary, and Country Linsier White and colored Canton Flannels White and colored Canton Flanness
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Velvet and Brussels, 3-ply Sup Ingrain Worsted, Woolen, and Cotton Venetian do List, Rag, and Hemp do Carpet Stoois, &c.

4-4 to 6 yard wide Floor Oil Cloths, cut to suit. oct 24-Im G. K. WITMER & BROS. [Culpeper Observer, Fairfax News, Warrenton

Whig. Port Tobacco Times, Southern Chronicle, and Marlboro' Gazette.] DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE. I offer to sale my FARM, containing about 350 ACRES OF LAND, in Fairfax County, beautifully situated on the line of the Orange & Alexandria Railroad, one mile from Burke's Station, fourteen from Alexandria, and seventeen from Washington .-There are about 150 acres heavily Timbered, (original growth,) immediately on the Railroad, and the remainder well set in Grass, and in a good state of cultivation. The improvements consist of a COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Stable, a new Granary and Corn-house, and all other necessary out-houses. There is a well of fine water in the yard. The situation is a high and healthy one, commanding an extensive and beautiful view of the surrounding country. For further informa-tion, apply to Mr. Marshall, at Burke's Station, who will show the land to any one wanting to purchase, and for terms of sale, apply to Burke &

Herbert, Alexandria, Va. UPTON H. HERBERT. Fairfax county, Va., sep 14-eotf TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR L CASH.-The undersigned, acting under authority of a deed of trust, executed by Thomas W. Tarner, on the 23d day of May, 1856, for the benefit of S. P. Bayly, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of Prince William County, will of-fer for sale, to the highest bidder, on the premises, about two miles from Haymarket, Prince William County, Va., adjoining the lands of Robert Beverly. Robert Graham, and others, containing about 170 ACRES. The improvements consist of a comfortable DWELLING, and all necessary out buildings. The terms of sale are cash. TROMAS H. BOSWELL, Trustee.

Broad Run Station, M. G. R. R., oct 29-eots VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS -- I am authorized to sell FOURTEEN BUILDING LOTS, of various sizes, situated on the east side of Alfred street, and north side of Wolfe street. of Alfred street, and normalized Prices low, and terms accommodating, net 5—cotf R. JOHNSTON. LIVERPOOL SALT.

5.500 SACKS GROUND ALUM SALT SACKS ASHTON'S FINE Liverpool. For sale by FOWLE 4 CO. TIME VERY BEST FAMILY FLOUR IN ALEXANDRIA.—Just received sixty bar

NOTICE.—The subscribers have formed a CO-PARTNERSHIP under the firm of J. B. & R. H. HUNTON, for the purpose of manufactur-ing WOOLEN GOODS, at Buckland, Prince Wil.

ROBT. H. HUNTON, Alexandria, Va

AUCTION SALES.

BY T. M. M. CORMICK - ACCRONUE SALE THIS DAY. DUTCH FLOWER ROOTS AT AUCTION. On this (Toesday) afternoon, at 2k o'clock at the store No. 55 king street near Fairfax, one case DUTCH BULBOUS ROOTS, from R. Van Der Schoot & Sons, in Holland, consisting of Don-

ble and Single Hyamiths, Naccisses, Tulips, Crocus, Iris, &c., &c., all in prime order and of recent EDWARD S. LEADBEATER.

TRUSTEE'S SALE .- By virtue of a deed of Trust from George Potter to me, dated 7th of June, 1858, and of record in the office of Fairfax ounty Court, I shall, on Thursday, the 24th day eather next, at the residence of said Potter. in Fairfax County, Va., offer at public auction, to the highest bidder, for eash, the personal yroperty thereto conveyed, viz: all of his HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, Farming Impleof the 20th are received. The Dallas (Texas) ments, Buggy and Harness, five head of Horses, Herald publishes a rumor that Major Van two Mules, Cattle, Hogs, &c. Sale to commence

at 11 o'clock, A. M.
ALFRED MOSS, Trustee.
Fairfax County, Va., oct 25-lawts Dorn had attacked a large body of Indians PUBLIC SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM.

NEGROES, AND STOCK, IN PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA.—The subscriber will sell at public auction, so Thursday, the 17th day of November, their "CLEARVIEW FARM," in Prince William County, Va., 3 miles from the Potomse River, within 12 of the navigable waters of the Chapawainsic creek, 30 miles below Alexan-dria, 3 from Evan's steambout wharf, on the Potomac, and opposite Charles County, in Mary-land, containing FIVE HUNDRED AND FOR TY-FIVE AND A QUARTER ACRES, of which there are 7 fields of arable land, averaging about 40 acres to the field. The remainder is in wood with about 20 acres of marsh land nearest the creek. Of the arabic land, 80 acres are of the best low grounds, well drained and very productive in wheat, corn, hay or tobacco: 80 acres of table-land. that will produce 20 bushels of wheat, and from 6 to 8 barrels of corn to the acre, without any fertilizer. And the other three fields of 40 acres each are well adapted to grain, tobacco and grass -timothy growing as readily as clever on the highlands. The water is excellent and abundant, and the neighborhood a good one. There is a wharf, from which the grain, wood, &c., are shipped to Washington, Georgetown and Alexandria are a new DWELLING HOUSE, with 3 within 14 miles of the barn. The improvements rooms below and 2 above stairs, kitchen, meat-house, servants' cabins, a good granary, corn

At the same time, the subscribers will sell FIVE VALUABLE NEGRO MEN, 27 head of Cattle, (among them 3 yoke of superior Oxen and 6 good Milch Cows.) 65 Suffolk Hogs, 43 Sheep, 6 Horses, and I mule. Also 300 barrels of Corn, all the Provender and Farming Implements, consisting of excellent Wagons, Carts, Ploughs, a good Threshing Machine, &c., and some articles of

Household and Kitchen Furniture.

TERMS OF SALE-Of the land, one-fourth cash, the remainder in two, three, and four years, with interest from the day of sale, payable annually. Satisfactory security will be required. The ne-groes for cash, and the other personal property at months, with interest from the day of sale. unless punctually paid. The property will be shown to any one visiting the farm, by their manager, (Mr. Hammett,) who resides at Clearview .-The subscribers are willing to sell the farm (of which 70 acres are seeded in wheat with six tons of Peruvian Guano) at \$20 per acre.
FITZHUGH & HERNDON.

Fredericksburg, Va., oet 25-ents DUBLIC SALE .- On Saturday, the 19th day of November next, I will sell, on the premises. a first rate limestone and river bottom FARM, lying in Warren County, Va., and runs within quarter of a mile of Front Royal, the county where there are good schools, five stores, all kinds of mechanics, Railroad, and every convenience. This form contains 280 ACRES, more or less, 60 acres of which is first rate bottom, 60 acres heavily timbered, and the balance in six convenien fields with a lane running through from the barn. which have water in them except one, and it has access to water. This farm adjoins the lands of Dr. 1. N. Buck, estate of Wm. Richardson, dec'd., and was formerly owned by I. B. Cloud, There are all kinds of fruit upon it, an orchard of about 300 apple trees, all in good bearing order, and se lected fruit of the best kind-Pears, Peaches, Cherries, and Damsons. I generally have apples from June to the next June. There is a never failing spring of water in the yard with spring bouse. The improvements consist of a large two story log and weather boarded HOUSE, two servant houses, smoke house, barn with basement, large tobacco house, cider house with press, cornerib, ice house, and all in good order. I have put on the land some 3000 bushels lime, which shows very well that lime has a great effect on this kind

of land. Having no one of my family to take charge of such a farm I desire to sell it, and will do so on the following reasonable TERMS :- One third of the purchase money when possession is given, and the balance in one thousand dollars payments annually, without interest, until paid. I can give possession in any reasonable time, or would keep it in possession un-til the first of March, if required. The wheat sown goes with the farm when sold.

Any person wishing to purchase such property will find it to their advantage to come and see, as it will show for itself. If this property is not sold at the time mentioned, it will on that day be rented for a standing rent

to the highest bidder. Any person wishing to view the property will all on Mr. E. Bomberger, living on the farm, or n the subscriber, living at the l'atent Lime Kiln, near Front Royal. Sale to commence at I o'clock, P. M.

ABRAHAM FORNEY. Warren County, Va., oct 15-colm FARM FOR SALE.—Will be sold at public Panetion, on Thursday, November 17th, 1859, in front of the Mayor's Office, Alexandria, at 10 Manassas Gap Railronds, the depot of the former interest, and to be secured by a deed of trust on

14 miles distant and the latter will have a depot the land. [sep 12-cots] J. A. W.

quisite out-buildings, and truit of the very best ple have been planted in the last five years. The sail is of the best quality and adapted to market gardening-baving the advantage of Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown markets, the latter

being only ten miles distant. This property could be conveniently divided into two farms, as the Little River Turopike runs centrally through it, having on it a well established wagon stand with the requisite buildings, where has been a good run of custom for a number of years-it lies at the intersection of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpikes. For terms or other information, apply to the subscriber, Middleburg, Londoun county, Va., or to JAMES M. BENTON, WM. H. BENTON.

the present occupant. WM.
Loudoun county, oct 15-cots COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ES-TATE. By virtue of a decree, in the case of Ashby vs. Green, &c., pronounced by the Circuit ments have been recently built. or for sale, to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of November next, if fair, if not, the next fair day thereafter, the tract of land upon which the said Thomas W. Turner of land upon which the said Thomas W. Turner to execute the same, will offer for sale, to the high-November, 1859, that valuable tract of land called "GRAFTON," formerly the residence of Samuel Bayly, deceased, containing about 375 ACRES, exclusive of the portion assigned to Mrs. Mary B. Bayly, as her dower. This land, which is well known in Fauquier for its fertility, is situated a-bout three miles from Salem, on the Manassas Gap Railroad, is well supplied with wood and water,

and is in fine condition for cultivation. deposit of ten per centum on the amount of his purchase, and to give bonds, with approved personal security, for the deferred payments, in three equal instalments, at one, two and three years thereafter, with interest from the day of sale. deposit to be forfeited and the property to be sold 3.300 2,600 SACKS ASHTON'S FINE at the risk and cost of the purchaser in case he shall fail to complete his purchaser, on a confirmation months, negotiable notes satisfactorily endorsed, tion of the sale by the Court, and the title to be retained till the last instalment is paid.

B. H. SHACKELFORD,

JOHN P. PHILIPS, Z. TURNER, JR. JOHN M. FORBES. JAMES V. BROOKE, ROBT. E. SCOTT, E. M. SPILMAN, Fauquier County, oct 15-cots

7 ID GLOVES, &c. Just received a very perior lot of Kid Gloves, white, colored and also, Liste & Doe Gauntletts, English & Hose, Linea Cambrie Handkerchiefs, Ac . and fo BRYAN & ADAMS.

AUCTION SALES.

A FINE TRACT OF LOUDOUN LAND FOR SALE.—By virtue of the authority vested in us by the will of the late Humphrey B. Powell, of Loudoun county, Virginia, we, his Executors, will sell at public auction, on the FIRST DA) of NOVEMBER NEXT, (TUESDAY,) at his late residence in Middleburg, his FARM, containing about FOUR HUNDRED and THIRTY SEVIN

and a HALF ACRES of LAND.

The LAND is of the first quality, adjoins the village of Middleburg, through which the Turnpike road to Alexandria passes, and distant eight miles

from the Manussas Gap Railrond.
It contains nearly ONE HUNDRED ACELS
of well-timbered LAND; and there is an abundance of running water on it. It is to a great extent under substantial stone fence. It has been kindly and judiciously cultivated for many years, and is productive in all the grains, and in grass; thus making it well adapted to farming and to grazing. It has some fine meadow land upon it. Most of it lies very well, and with favorable expe-There is a comfortable DWELLING-

There is a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, containing eight rooms, with sm BI ILDINGS for servants, and stabling, Ac., ipon the part of the farm which adjoins the village, with easy access to it; making it a desirable tendence to a family seeking the conveniences of town part of the farm, a FARM-HOUSE, of stone, stabling, &c., &c. The GARDEN is excelent, and the GROUNDS about the residence dorned with TREES and SHRUBBERY.

f Middleburg is situated in a beautiful and head hy region; that it has a refined and cultivated so and possesses all the advantages, which ety, and possesses all the auvantages, and build be desired, in churches of several denomina

dence of Col. Powell.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third in cash—the resi due in two equal annual instalments, with interest from date, payable annually, secured by bonds,

Possession given at once, upon compliance with the terms of sale. At the same time and place, we will sell all the STOCK, and FARMING IMPLEMENTS, the

CROPS of CORN, WHEAT, OATS, and HAY,

NEGROES.—Being anxious to procure homes for ten or more SLAVES, male and temale. (good field hands, and women with children,) under the

private sale.
TERMS:—All sums over ten dollars, at nine months, with interest from date; and approved ecurity required. All sums under ten dollars,

For information, reference may be had to J. R. TUCKER, Richmond, Va.; RALEIGH COLSTON, vy Depot, Albemarle county, Va.; or to WM. L. POWELL, Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va. RALEIGH COLSTON, | Exec'rs. of H. B.

J. R. TUCKER, Powell, dec'd.
Loudoun county, sep 1—cots ONE OF THE MOST DESIRABLE RESI-MARSHALL HALL.

Mexandria, and sixteen from Washington, is now offered for saie.
There are THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENover eight barrels (forty bushels) per acre.

of the most substantial character. A well arranged BRICK MANSION, containing ten rooms, on the bank of the Potomac, nearly opposite Mount Vernor. The out-houses and farm-buildings of the best material, and built in the most durable manner, are well arranged, and amply varied, and sufficient for all the requirements of domestic and farming purposes. A good garden, and a variety of fruit will be found on the place. All the advantages of game and fish, pertaining to the neighbouring estates on the Potomac, can be enjoyed here. The neighbouring society cannot be excelled, and there is easy access to churches and schools.
If desired, NEGROES and FARMING STOCK, UTENSILS and GROWING CROPS, can be bought with the farm, and possession can be given

whenever it is desired by the purchaser. Mr. W. Turner, who resides on the farm, will show it to any one wishing to purchase who may call on him; and for terms, price, &c., apply to JOHN A. WASHINGTON. Mount Vernon, near Alexandria, Va. If the above farm is not disposed of at private

A VALUABLE JAMES RIVER FARM, WITH 25 NEGROES, STOCK, CROPS, &c., FOR quiste out holidations and holidations and the state of the state SALE.—I chall, on Tucsday, the 22d day of No-cember, 1859, on the premises, at public nuction, sell my FARM, containing about EIGHT HUN-DRED ACRES, in the county of Campbell, ad joining Judge Robertson, Wm. Gough, Col. M. Langhorne and others, about four miles from Lynchburg, immediately on the James River and Kanawha Canal, and within a few hundred yards of the South Side Railroad. About one-half of this land is in original growth of good timber, and attached to it is a rich and fertile island of about 70 acres. This farm is considered one of the lest farms in upper Virginia. This land is now well enclosed under new fences, is in a high state of cultivation, and has about 450 acres well set in Orchard, Grass, Timothy, Herds Grass and Clover, and a good Orchard upon it. The improvements are a brick DWELLING HOUSE, with six rooms, a stone kitchen, an Overseers house, nine Negro Cabins, two stables, three corn houses, two wheat barns, eight Tobacco barns, with all

> At the same time, I will sell twenty-five LIKE-LY NEGROES, (mostly young,) consisting of men, women, boys and girls, twelve horses and mules, (among them two line blooded mares, now with foal by Red Eye.) three Yoke of Oxen, ten Milch Cows head of Hoge, (the Cows are Burham and Devon, and the Hogs are Chester and Berkshire,) one young Devou Bull, 300 or 400 barrels of corn, with shucks, tops, &c., from same, and straw from 2,-500 bushels of wheat, one wheat Drill, one Thresh ing Machine, three wagons and harness, one cart,

added; the residue in equal instalments of 1, 2 and years, bonds with good personal security, bearing interest from date, and title retained until purchase money is paid. The negroes and other prointerest added.

one wishing to see it. Address me at Lynchburg, Va. EDWARD D. CHRISTIAN.

Lynchburg, oct 15-2awts SUMMERFIELD FITZHUGH,

Will practice in the Courts of Prince Williams, and the adjoining Counties. Prince William County, Va., mb 26-coly

The FARM is susceptible of easy division, by which TWO FARMS, with suitable buildings, and due propertions of woodland and water, could be made. To strangers it may be well to add, that the town

tions, schools, &c., &c.

At the same time and place, we will sell a
HOUSE and LOT in Middleburg, containing about an HALF ACRE, adjoining the late res

and deed of trust upon the land.

Among the STOCK to be sold are, TEN HEAD of HORSES; some very valuable MILCH COWS, and other CATTLE; a number of HOGS, fat; and Also, the growing crop of WHEAT will be sold.

terms of the will, we invite attention to them for

ON THE POTOMAC RIVER, FOR SALE. Lying on the Potomac River, in the upper part of Charles county, Maryland, about ten miles below

TY-FIVE ACRES, of which, from eighty to one hundred are in timber, and the remainder is under strong fence, and divided into fields of convenient ize, with a very productive soil, on which every rop that can be grown in this climate has been successfully raised—tobacco, grain, hay, fruit, veg-otables. It is believed that this farm is equalled by few on the tide water for profitable investment. An average of over twenty-eight bushels of wheat per acre from the entire crop has been sold from the place in good seasons; and for several years past the lightest crop of corn has averaged boats passing daily within a few hundred yards of the mansion, afford every facility of communicaand Alexandria, as well as with Baltimore and Richmond; and grain can be shipped on sailing vessels to Alexandrin for three, and to Baltimore for five cents per bushel. The estate fronts for about a half-a-mile on the River, and from its compact shape, kind soil, and gently undulating surface, entirely free of stone, can be cultivated well at a very small cost. The improvements are

o'clock A. M., that highly improved and conveniently situated FARM, containing THREE HUNDRED AND FOURTEEN ACRES, in Fairfax county, Va., on the Little River Turnpike, six miles from Alexandria and nine from Washington and the following terms:—One city, with turnpikes leading direct to each of said third of the purchase money in cash, and the re-

> Trans: One with of the purchase money for the land will be required in cash, or a negotiable note satisfactorily endorsed, at four months, discount

I would prefer selling the land, negroes, stock, crops, &c., together. To any one wishing to pur-chase in that way, a bargain may be had, and upon any time that a reasonable man would ask. Mr. Willis N. Mays will show the place to any

ATTORNEY AT LAW, Brentsville, Prince William County, Va.,